

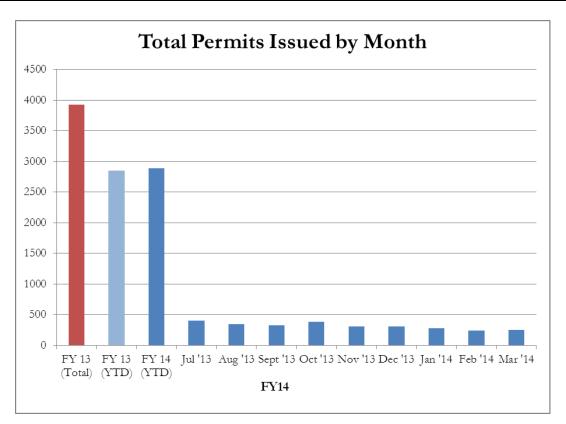
# **Community Planning and Development Services**

Monthly Activity Report (through March 2014)

### **Building Permits**

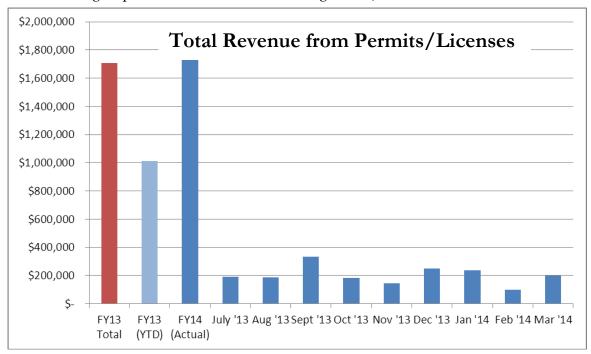
Through the first nine months of the fiscal year, the City has issued almost the same number of permits as the same period the last year.

|                                  | FY 13<br>(Total) | FY 13<br>(YTD) | FY 14<br>(YTD) | Fiscal Year 2014 to date |         |             |         |            |         |         |         |         |
|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                  |                  |                |                | Jul '13                  | Aug '13 | Sept<br>'13 | Oct '13 | Nov<br>'13 | Dec '13 | Jan '14 | Feb '14 | Mar '14 |
| Building Permits                 |                  |                |                |                          |         |             |         |            |         |         |         |         |
| Residential/Commercial           | 791              | 569            | 583            | 97                       | 76      | 86          | 84      | 49         | 46      | 54      | 43      | 48      |
| Single-family                    | 20               | 13             | 10             | 1                        | 1       | 0           | 0       | 0          | 1       | 5       | 0       | 2       |
| Demolition                       | 10               | 4              | 9              | 2                        | 0       | 0           | 1       | 2          | 0       | 2       | 2       | 0       |
| Fire Protection                  | 346              | 255            | 283            | 44                       | 41      | 38          | 42      | 29         | 39      | 18      | 16      | 16      |
| Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing | 2515             | 1823           | 1825           | 245                      | 219     | 193         | 245     | 217        | 194     | 179     | 169     | 164     |
| Occupancy                        |                  |                |                |                          |         |             |         |            |         |         |         |         |
| Residential/Commercial           | 225              | 172            | 148            | 18                       | 13      | 16          | 16      | 13         | 26      | 26      | 3       | 17      |
| Single-family                    | 23               | 17             | 8              | 0                        | 1       | 0           | 1       | 0          | 4       | 1       | 0       | 1       |
| Total Permits Issued by Type     | 3930             | 2853           | 2889           | 407                      | 351     | 333         | 389     | 310        | 310     | 285     | 247     | 257     |

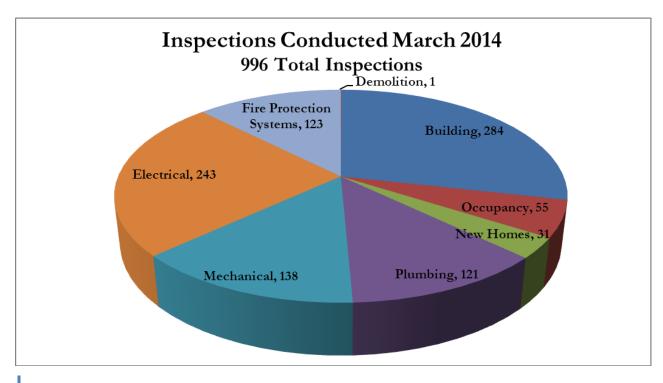


### **Revenue from Permits**

In March (the ninth month of the fiscal year), we already exceeded the amount of revenue generated from permits in all of last fiscal year. Several large this year contributed to the increase (Duball, Silverwood/Bainbridge Apartments and Meso Scale Diagnostics).

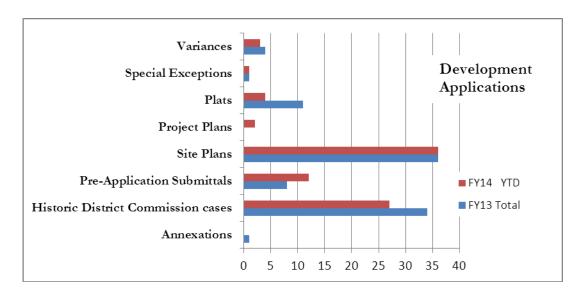


## **Inspections**



# **Development Review Cases**

|                                    | FY13<br>Total | FY14<br>YTD |
|------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Annexations                        | 1             | 0           |
| Historic District Commission cases | 34            | 27          |
| Pre-Application Submittals         | 8             | 12          |
| Site Plans                         | 36            | 36          |
| Project Plans                      | 0             | 2           |
| Plats                              | 11            | 4           |
| Special Exceptions                 | 1             | 1           |
| Variances                          | 4             | 3           |
| Total                              | 95            | 85          |



# **Zoning Enforcement**

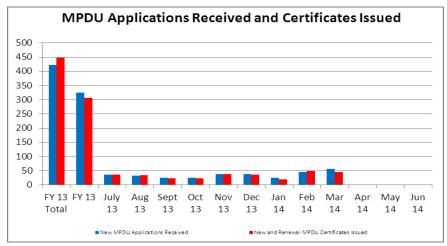
|                   | FY 2013 | FY 2014 | March |
|-------------------|---------|---------|-------|
|                   | Total   | Total   | 2014  |
| Zoning Violations | 68      | 40      | 3     |

# **Sign Permit Applications**

|                          | FY 2013<br>Total | FY 2014<br>Total | March<br>2014 |
|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Sign Permit Applications | 223              | 208              | 8             |
| Sign Permits Issued      | 239              | 147              | 9             |
| Sign Review Board Cases  | 5                | 9                | 1             |

## Housing and Community Development Block Grant

#### **Moderately Priced Dwelling Units**



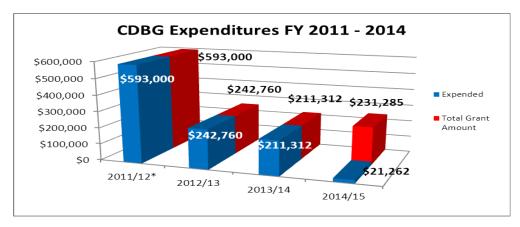
<sup>\*</sup> Low and moderate income households apply to the City to be income-qualified for Rockville's MPDUs; receiving a certificate does not guarantee a MPDU will be available.

### Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)

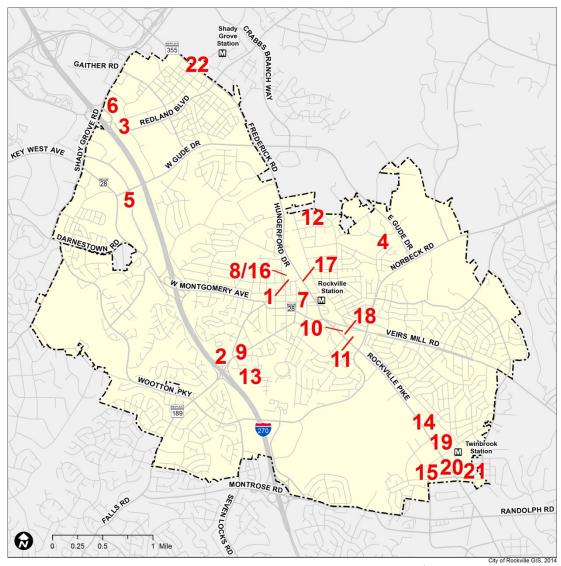
The Year 38 / FY13 CDBG funds were expended by the January 24, 2014 grant deadline. The funds accomplished the following activities:

- The City Single-Family Rehabilitation program assisted seven (7) low-income homeowners with repairs to their homes or properties to make them safe, habitable, and code compliant.
- Kitchens and bathrooms were replaced in three (3) scattered site public housing units using a combination of CDBG and other Rockville Housing Enterprises (RHE) funds.
- Evening case management services were provided to 28 homeless families.
- A social services organization serving the Asian community provided case management and referral services to 45 residents, 59 people attended a health fair, and 6 people attended citizenship classes.
- Thirty-three (33) residents were served with one-on-one legal services and 43 residents were provided with information at workshops and clinics targeted to the Asian community.
- Nutritional information was distributed in 5,353 backpacks of food to 381 Rockville students through the Smart Snacks program.

The Year 39 / FY14 CDBG contract started in September 2013 and will be completed at the end of August 2014.



## Major Development Review Projects around the City



Note: View an interactive map of these projects online at www.rockvillemd.gov/developmentwatch

#### **Pre-Application Submittals**

The following is a list of pre-application meeting (PAM) applications submitted to CPDS that are currently under review. Pre-applications are required for certain projects prior to a full development application. When a pre-application has been approved and a formal application has been submitted for a project, it will be listed under Applications In Process. There are occasions where projects do not proceed beyond the pre-application process. Only major project applications are listed.

- 1. <u>255 North Washington Street:</u> Pre-application for a proposed mixed use development with 280 dwelling units and 6,200 square feet of retail space. File # PAM2014-00070
- 2. <u>651 Great Falls Road (Julius West Middle School):</u> Pre-application for the addition of approximately 36,000 square feet, limited renovation of existing floor area, new exterior mechanical yard, reconfiguration of drop-off area and parking, two new tennis courts, and minor site improvements to/maintenance of existing basketball courts and ball field. File # PAM2014-00074
- 900 and 901 King Farm Boulevard (King Farm townhouses): Proposed development of 140 townhouse units. File # PAM2014-00064
- 4. 1175 Taft Street (EZ Storage): Proposed development of a self-storage facility. File # PAM2014-00072
- 5. Research Boulevard and Gude Drive (Key West Center at Fallsgrove): Proposed development of two medical office buildings and ancillary retail uses at the southwest corner of Research Boulevard and Gude Drive (property address not yet assigned). File # PAM2014-00069

#### **Applications In Process**

The following is a list of development review applications submitted to CPDS that are currently under review. The application status is updated as the application moves through the development review process. Once an application is acted upon by its final Approving Authority, it will be moved to the list of Completed Applications. Approved projects then generally continue to the building permitting and inspection phase for construction. Only major project applications are listed.

- 5 Choke Cherry Road (Upper Rock District): Project Plan (Planned Development) Amendment to allow for the development of 34,700 square feet of retail space on Blocks B, C and D of the Upper Rock District. File #: PJT2014-00004
- 198 E. Montgomery Avenue (Duball Rockville): Project Plan application for a proposed amendment to PDP1994-0001E to allow for the addition of 178 dwelling units to Block 2 and application of a currently approved non-residential parking waiver to the residential uses. File #: PJT2014-00003
- 285 N. Washington Street (Brightview, Rockville Town Square): Site Plan application for the proposed development of a 195-unit rental community for independent senior living and for assisted living with street level retail. File #: STP2014-00189
- 626 & 628 Great Falls Road (Chinese Jehovah's Witnesses): Proposed development of a new Place of Worship. File #: STP2012-00114
- 10. 702 Rockville Pike (Enterprise Rent-a-Car): Proposed use of an existing building for a Rental Car Facility and development of a 1,356 square foot carwash to be located behind the rental facility. File #: STP2014-00184
- 11. 750 Rockville Pike (Centra Care Urgent Care): Proposed development of an urgent care medical facility. File # STP2014-00185
- 12. 900 Westmore Avenue (Church of God Iglesia de Dios of Rockville): Proposed demolition of an existing church, construction of a new church with additional on-site parking and pedestrian walkways. File #: STP2014-00193
- 13. 1235 Potomac Valley Road (Potomac Valley Nursing Home): Proposed site modifications including expansion of on-site parking. File #: STP2013-00164.
- 14. 1450 Rockville Pike (BMW of Rockville): Proposed consolidation and expansion of the service facility and structured parking. File #: STP2013-00165
- 15. 1626 East Jefferson Street (Crest II): Site Plan submittal for a proposed Multi-Family Development. File # STP2014-00196

#### **Recently Completed Applications**

The following is a list of applications submitted to CPDS that have been reviewed and either recently approved or denied by the designated Approving Authority. Applications will be removed from this list once their construction is complete or finalized. Only major project applications are listed.

- 16. 275 N. Washington Street (former Giant Site): Level 1 Site Plan submittal for the development of a 2-story building with a Bank, Office and Retail use. Approved June 21, 2013. File #: STP2013-00145
- 17. 369 Hungerford Drive (PNC Bank): Level 1 Site Application for a Proposed Bank Facility with a Drive-Through. Approved November 11, 2012. File #: STP2013-000135
- 18. 718 Rockville Pike (Patient First Medical Center): Major Site Plan Amendment for a new medical office building and change of use to an existing building on-site to allow a restaurant use. Approved September 11, 2013. File#: STP2013-00162
- 19. 1592 Rockville Pike (Twinbrook Metroplace): Project Plan for a new mixed-use development comprised of approximately 286,000 square feet of office, retail, restaurant and health club use, a 200-room hotel and 792 multi-family residential units and Site Application implementing Phase I of the approved Project Plan for Twinbrook Metroplace. Approved April 16, 2012 and March 13, 2013. File #: PJT2012-00002 and STP2013-00140
- 20. 1800 Rockville Pike (Twinbrook West): Site Plan for a new mixed-use development comprised of approximately 100,000 square feet of retail and restaurant use and 356 multi-family residential units. Approved March 28, 2012. File #: STP2012-00101
- 21. 1900 Chapman Avenue (former Syms Site): A proposed mixed-use development with 667 multi-family residential units and approximately 5,000 square feet of non-residential use. Approved August 8, 2012. File #: STP2012-00112
- 22. 15955 Frederick Road (Silverwood/Shady Grove, LLC): Development of a five-story, 417-unit multi-family residential project on property approved for annexation to the City of Rockville. Approved October 26, 2011. File #: STP2011-00091 and ANX2010-00139